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Appn. Number: 10/824,869  
Filing Date: April 15, 2004  
Applicant: Richard C.G. Dark  
Application Title: SPILL-RESISTANT METERED FLOW CAP FOR A CUP  
Examiner: Ngo, Lien M.  
GAU: 3727  
Attorney Ref. # : 0338-15UA

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

MAIL STOP FEE AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Letter dated Feb. 10, 2006, the following amendments and/or remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.